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The Honorable Arthur H. Davis
American Ambassador
Panama City, Republic of Panama

Dear Mr. Ambassador:

I would like to express my deep appreciation to you and to your deputy chief of mission, John Maistro, for your persistent efforts with the Government of Panama on behalf of FBIS to obtain approval for our frequency requests. Establishment of a viable communications system in Panama and the launching of INTERNET operations there mark significant milestones for FBIS and would not have been possible without your excellent negotiating skills and constant efforts.

This is only the most recent example of your personal involvement in support of FBIS field operations. Many FBIS managers, including several bureau chiefs, remember your untiring efforts in our behalf while you were Ambassador to Paraguay. I thank you for your continuing backing of our managers in the field.

Should FBIS be able to assist you in any way to repay you in small measure for your outstanding support, both in this latest instance and in general, please feel free to call upon us.

Very truly yours,

W. J. ...

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